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In Memory of Carol de la Herran

NEW YEAR'S EVE WITH CAROL

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My wife, Deryn, Carol, and I all met for the first time at Carol's first US New Year's Program in 2009 at TMI. Carol's inspiring program and synchronicity created the transformation of our lives, because Deryn and I are now, three and a half years later, married and have made an adventurous move to Phoenix, AZ. Carol not only facilitated the New Year's program, but also became a matchmaker, something that she was very proud of doing! Since then we have discussed our gratitude with Carol many times.

Carol recreated and ran the Outreach Facilitator Training Program which Deryn and I both went through under her tutelage. Carol always made us feel welcome, special and she was truly a master at facilitating. During the week of my FTP in November of 2011, Carol was elected to President and Executive Director of TMI. It was truly a great moment to share with her and watch her transform into her new role. She was gracious, humble and joyous all at the same time.

Since we all met, whenever Deryn and I have attended TMI, we have taken such pleasure in finding Carol on campus, being greeted with a great big hug, and much laughter as we all caught up. She was a great friend and mentor. As one of the great leaders of our TMI family, she will always be an inspiration on our path to promote all the great things TMI has to offer for mankind.

My only regret is to not get one last hug and one last moment of eye contact with a smile to officially say goodbye. We will miss you Carol.

Until we meet again on the other side,
Steve Winchester

